

ARMED FORCES STAFF COLLEGE
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMANDANT
NORFOLK 11, VIRGINIA

REPLY TO

ATTN OF: AFSC-D

23 January 1963

SUBJECT: End of Course Report

TO: Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

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I am happy to provide an end of course report on [REDACTED] CIA, covering his attendance at the Armed Forces Staff College as a member of the Thirty-second Class, 20 August 1962 to 18 January 1963.

The length of the course of instruction is 21 weeks and the curriculum contains the following areas of study: (a) national defense, including characteristics, organization, and employment of the armed forces; (b) military operations and command relationships; (c) joint and combined operational planning, to include the effects of technological advances on such planning; and (d) national and international security considerations.

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Throughout the course of instruction [REDACTED] demonstrated enthusiastic endeavor to broaden his knowledge of a field which was new to him. He has a pleasing and engaging personality, which noticeably quickened his integration into the student body. Shortly after the beginning of the course, [REDACTED] as a member of the Air Force team in his seminar, was required to participate in a series of briefings of the students of other Services on United States Air Force organization, policies, etc. He rose to the occasion in an outstanding manner, and by means of hard work involving considerable after duty study, delivered unusually thorough and comprehensive briefings on the difficult and complex subjects which were assigned to him.

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His sincerity, courtesy, initiative, and keen mind quickly gained him the respect of the members of the faculty and student body. When required to leave the College for a short period during the Cuban crisis, [REDACTED] reacted with the vigor and purpose which characterized his attitude as a student. Upon his return he quickly regained lost ground and readjusted to the course of instruction.

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The curriculum of the College requires each student to write an individual research paper on a subject of his choice. The paper written by [REDACTED] entitled "Antarctica - The Continent and its Significance" was so outstanding that it is being retained in the College library for future reference. He obviously gave much effort to the writing of his paper, and skillfully combined thorough research with effective, analytical writing.

I consider him eminently qualified for assignment to duty on joint or combined staffs, and I would welcome the opportunity to work with him.

Sincerely,

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